SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, March 31, 2021

TIME: 3:00 PM

PLACE: Virtual Meeting via WebEx

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. 33

BY Goldin, DiMario

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- EDUCATION ACCOUTABILITY ACT {LC745/1} (Requires that the board of education incorporate additional questions into its annual assessment of schools and related surveys and provide annual reports to the house of representatives and the senate.)

01/19/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

03/26/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 208

BY Seveney, Gallo, DiPalma, Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS -- TRAINING AND EVALUATION -- EVALUATION REQUIREMENTS {LC839/1} (Directs the council on elementary and secondary education to implement an assessment and evaluation system that applies to both teachers and administrators and is aligned with the state's standards.)

02/10/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

03/26/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 287

BY Gallo, Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHING A CLASS SIZE MAXIMUM FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWO (2) {LC1201/1} (Mandates public school classroom size be limited to twenty (20) students for kindergarten through grade two (2).)

02/18/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

03/26/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 455

BY de la Cruz, Rogers, Paolino, Raptakis

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION {LC2248/1} (Establishes an education savings account program to assist and support the parents, guardians and caretakers of students with the materials, tutors, technology and other educational support for learning at-home or at any other remote-learning site.)

03/04/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

03/26/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 637

BY Murray, Euer, Kallman, Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- PAUL W. CROWLEY STUDENT INVESTMENT INITIATIVE {LC1871/1} (Restructures professional development investment fund to assume duties of dissemination of curriculum materials/frameworks/assessments/development plans with annual allocation of \$200 per student.)

03/18/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

03/26/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

The State House continues to be closed to the public at this time.

This meeting will be streamed live online through Capitol TV http://www.rilegislature.gov/CapTV/Pages/default.aspx

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

Written testimony is encouraged and can be submitted to the committee by emailing it to: slegislation@rilegislature.gov

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:00 PM on Wednesday, March 31, 2021, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

Members of the public can request to provide verbal testimony to the committee through the following link: **VERBAL TESTIMONY**

*Requests to provide verbal testimony must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Tuesday, March 30, 2021.

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